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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

I and my family are opposed to the proposed settlement with Microsoft for many reasons. Especially concerning is the failure of the settlement to address Microsoft's potential use of intentional incompatibilities as a means to sabotage competing operating systems and applications. Microsoft has in the past used this technique to eliminate competition from Digital Research's DR-DOS operating system.

As one who spends a fair bit of time supporting computers in public schools and the teachers that use them, I have seen first-hand the problems with Microsoft's monopolistic acts. As a computer professional for over 20 years, I have seen the stagnation of innovation in the computer industry caused by Microsoft's anticompetitive practices.

Please reject this settlement and develop something which will adequately censure and penalize Microsoft while ensuring that they are unable to continue their illegal acts.

Thank you.

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Uncle Roger	"There is pleasure pure in being mad
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